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Short-term Industry Statistics, July 2023

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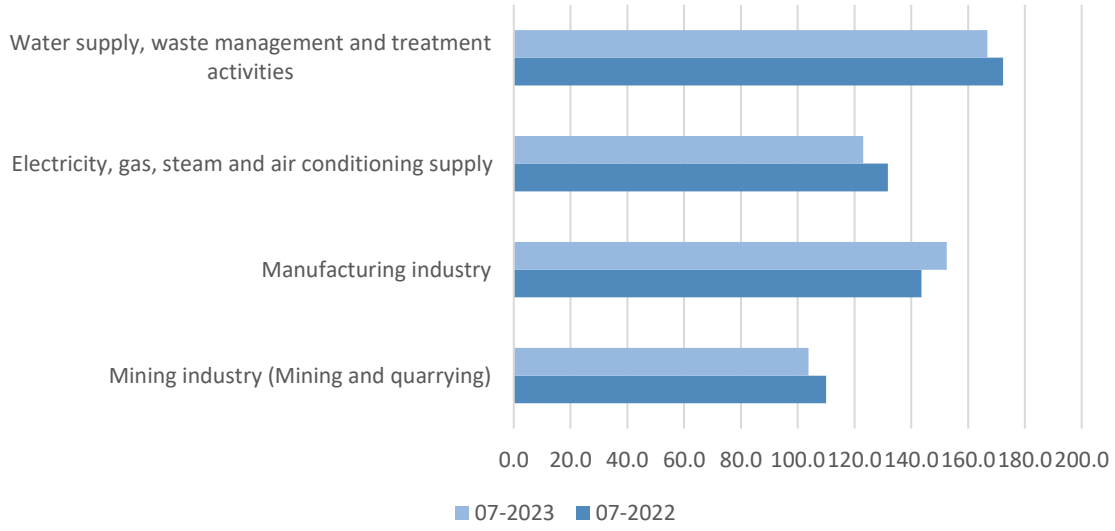
The Kosovo Agency of Statistics (KAS) has released the Short-term Industry Statistics for the month of July 2023.

## Manufacturing output increased in July 2023 compared to a year ago

In the month of July 2023, the industry volume index had an increase in the Manufacturing Industry sector by 6.2%.

Whereas, there was a decrease in the following sectors: electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply (-6.5%); mining industry (mining and quarrying) (-5.6%); and water supply, waste management and treatment activities (-3.2%), compared to the same month of the previous year (July 2022).

**Economic activities according to NACE Rev-2**



**Industrial production volume index for the period July 2023 – July 2022**

| Sector | 07-2022 | 07-2023 | 07-2022 / 07-2023 |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mining industry (Mining and quarrying) | 110.0 | 103.8 | -5.6% |
| Manufacturing industry | 143.5 | 152.5 | 6.2% |
| Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply | 131.7 | 123.1 | -6.5% |
| Water supply, waste management and treatment activities | 172.4 | 166.8 | -3.2% |

## Index of the number of employees

In July 2023, the index of the number of employees decreased in the sector of: minig industry (mining and quarrying) (-15.2%); water supply, waste management and treatment activities (-4.0)%; electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply (-3.8%); as well as in the manufacturing industry sector (-1.2%), compared to the same month of the previous year (July 2022).

**Change of the index of the number of employees for the period July 2023 – July 2022**

| Sector | 07-2022 | 07-2023 | 07-2022 / 07-2023 |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mining industry (Mining and quarrying) | 99.7 | 84.5 | -15.2% |
| Manufacturing industry | 108.6 | 107.3 | -1.2% |
| Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply | 91.3 | 87.8 | -3.8% |
| Water supply, waste management and treatment activities | 105.1 | 100.9 | -4.0% |

For more information about the Short-term Industry Statistics for the month of July 2023, visit: https://ask.rks-gov.net/sq/agjencia-e-statistikave-te-kosoves/ekonomi/statistikat-afatshkurtra